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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Re application of

: **Confirmation No. 6879**

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: Group Art Unit 2652

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HEAD SUPPORT DEVICE AND DISK  
DRIVE USING SAME

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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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THE COMMISSIONER IS AUTHORIZED  
TO CHARGE ANY DEFICIENCY IN THE  
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ACCOUNT NO. 23-0975

Sir:

Kindly amend the above-identified application as follows:

**AMENDMENTS TO THE DRAWINGS:**

***Formal Drawings for Figures 1,5-8 and 10 have been filed concurrently.***

**AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION AND ABSTRACT:**

***Please replace the original specification and abstract with the enclosed substitute specification and abstract.***